

## NOTE XII.

## REMARKS ON HYMENOPTERA AND COLEOPTERA.

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1. I have proposed (cf. Deyrolle's Naturaliste. VI. p. 559, 15 Nov. 1884) to substitute the generic name *Darala* Ritsema (Notes Leyd. Mus. VI (1884). p. 81, Hymenoptera: Larridae) nec *Darala* Walker (List Lepid. Ins. Brit. Mus. IV (1855). p. 886, Lepidoptera: Bombycidae) by ***Dalara***.
2. *Xylocopa Forbesii* Kirby ♀, from the Timor-Laut Islands (Proc. Zool. Soc. London. 1883. p. 344) = *Xylocopa coronata* Smith (Journ. Proc. Linn. Soc. Zool. V (1861). p. 135) from Kaioa (Brit. Mus.) and Halmaheira, Batjan and Ternate (Leyd. Mus.), the different iridescence of the wings, the only *difference* mentioned by Mr. Kirby, not being of specific value, as the specimens in the Leyden Museum, although doubtless belonging to one and the same species, show considerable variations in that respect.

***Coleoptera.***

1. I propose to substitute the generic name *Metallactus* Albers (Deutsche Entom. Zeitschr. XXVIII (1884). p. 303, Coleoptera: Lucanidae) nec *Metallactus* Suffrian (Linnaea Entom. XVI (1866). p. 248, Coleoptera: Chrysomelidae) by ***Metallactulus***.
2. I propose to substitute the generic name *Oxyrhynchus* Schönherr (Disp. Meth. 1826. p. 77, Coleoptera: Curculionidae) nec *Oxyrhynchus* Spix (Test. et Rau. Bras. 1824, Amphibia: Bufonidae) by ***Cryptoderma***.  
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